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AUCTION SALES. PAUSTRE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE IN FAIRPAX COUNTY, ON OCCOQUAN BAY-By virue of a deed of trust from J. Jay Camp and wife to the undersigned, bearing date March 10, 1875, and of record on the land records of Fairfax county, liber S. No. 4, folio 104, the undersigned will, on MONDAY, the 10th day of November, 1879, (first day of Circuit Court) in front of the Court House door of said county, at 12 o'clock w., sell to the highest bidder the TRACT OF LAND conveyed by said deed and therein described, has follows: Beginning at the mouth of a creek which divides this deed and therein described, hs follows: Beginning at the mouth of a creek which divides this land from Degue Island patent running thence up said creek with the several courses and meanders thereof to the first fork; thence up a small creek known as "Mill Creek" according to the courses and meanders thereof to the mouth of "Spring Branch;" then up said branch to the fork at Blackburn's line; thence with Blackburn's (now Williams') line; thence with said line to an old stable near Williams' house and Bicks' line, west to a hickory at the head of the valley; thence south to the head of a swamp valley; thence south to the head of a swamp according to the meanders to the Occoquan river; thence down the river to the beginning—containing 233 acres. Title supposed to be good. Terms: Cath oct 13-wis THOMAS MOORE, Trustee.

By Green & Wise, Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.)

YVIRTUE of a decree of the Corporation
Court for the city of Alexandria, Virginia,
rendered at its heptember term, 1879, in the
cause of Douglass & Brother vs. Gahan and

others, the undersigned, commissioner therein named, will offer for sale by public auction, at 12 o'cleck m, in front of the entrance to the Court room, on Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on SATURDAY, the 15th day of November, 1879, the following property, to wit: No. 1. SIX FRAME HOUSES AND LOTS on the southeast corner of Alired and Gibbon

No. 2. THREE FRAME HOUSES AND LOTS on the alley in rest of the above named property, No. 1. Terms of Sale: Cash enough to pay costs of suit and sale, and the residue in three equal instalments, payable respectively in one, two and three years, with interest from day of sale. H. O. CLAUGHTON.

streets.

oct11-2awts Commissioner of Sale. By Green & Wise, Auctioneers. M. D. Corse et al.

Joseph P. Smith et al. In chancery.

BY VIRTUE OF THE DECRRES OF THE Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered at its September term, 1878, and September term, 1879, in the above cause, the undersigned, commissioner, will, on SAT-URDAY, the 4th day of October, 1879, at 12 o'clock m., before the front entrance of the Corporation Court House of Alexandria city, on Fairfax street, sell by public suction, to the highest bidder, that VALUABLE HOUSE and LOT OF GROUND, on King street, now occupied by Mrr. E. A. Williams, bounded and described as fallows. described as follows: Beginning at a point on the north line of King street, in the city of Alexandria, Va, 60 feet eastwardly from the inter-section of the east line of Alfred street with the section of the east line of Alfred street with the north line of King street affresaid, and running thence parsilel with said Alfred street northwardly 100 feet to a paved alley; thence eastwardly with the line of said alley and parallel with said King street 43 feet 5 inches; thence southwardly parallel with said Alfred street and said first line 100 feet to said King street, and thence westwardly with the part line of King.

thence westwardly with the north line of King street 43 feet 5 inches to the place of beginning. Terms of Sale: One fourth of the purchase money in cash; the residue in three equal pay-

SATURDAY, November 1st, 1879, at the same place and hour. oct 4-ts

By Green & Wise, (Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.) TRUSTER'S SALE OF LAND-By virtue of a deed of trust to me, dated on 21st day of May 1877, duly recorded in Fairfax county, Va., land records, liber V. No. 4, page 57, de-

Va. land records, liber V. No. 3, page 57, default having been made in the payment of a part of the debt secured, and being thereto required by the beneficiaries, I will sell, by public auction, on TUESDAY, the 21st day of October, 1879, at IE o'clock m., in front of the entrance to the Court room, on Fairlay street, in the city of Alexandria, Va. the TRACT OF LAND, in said county, conveyed to me by said trust deed, containing 213 acres, more or less, and located about 24 miles south of Borke's station. Ve. about 24 miles south of Burke's station, Ve. Midland R. R. The said tract has a DWELL-ING and outbuildings, orchard, &c.

Terms of Sale: One third in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in one, two and three years, equal annual payments, with interest, secured by deed of trust on the land, sepi0-2awis. PRIER WISE, Trustee.

By O'Neal & Luczs, Auctioneers.

TRUSTER'S SALE-By virtue of a deed of trust bearing date on the 15th day of February, 1878, executed by John R. Johnston to me, and of record among the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, in deed book W. No. 4, folio 34, to secure the payment of a note bearing over date with said dead of the secure that the secure of the secur ing even date with said deed, drawn by the said John R. Johnston in favor of Harlow Brothers, of the city of Alexandria, for the sum of \$515, with interest thereon at six per cent per annum from date, and payable fifteen months after the date thereof, I will sell for cash at pub after the date thereof, I will sell for cash at public auction to the highest bidder, at 12 o'clock m., on SATURDAY, the 25th day of October, 1879, in front of the Market House on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, all that TRACT OF LAND, situate, lying and being in the county of Fairfax, in the State of Virginia, known as "ROSE HILL," which was conveyed to the said John R. Johnston by James O. Rosch and wife by deed bearing data Oct. 16 O. Reach and wife by deed bearing date Oct 16, 1878, and of record in book Q. No. 4, page 229, of the land records of said county of Fairfax, (with the exception of that part thereof convey ed by the sail Roach and wife to B. Lacey, containing sixteen acres) said to contain 59 acres, 1 rood and 12 poles, and more particularly described by metes and bounds in the deed of trust aforesaid.

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By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

Commissions Res SALE OF WHARF
AND OTHER PROPERTY—In pursuance of a decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Aloxandria, in the cause of James W. Green against H. S. Wattles and others, the undersigned, commissioners of sale, will offer for sale by public suction, at about 12 o'clock m., on SATURDAY, the 15th day of November, 1879, at the front entrance of the Court room, on Fairfax street, Alexandria, the following property, to wit:
1. A LOT OF GROUND, being at the north-

east corner of Water and Gibbon streets, runeast corner of Water and Chibbon streets, ind-ning thence north on Water street 76 fect 5 inches; thence east parallel with Gibbon street to the channel of the Potomac river; thence with the channel to Gibbon street, and thence in a straight line to the beginning, including the ground covered by the brick house on Union st.—subject to a 10 feet alley midway between Water and Union streets, and running north from Gibbon street 76 feet 5 inches.

2. A LOT OF GROUND at the intersection of the north side of Franklin with the east side of St. Asaph street, fronting S2 feet on St. Asaph street, and 113 feet 5 inches on Franklin street.

3. A LOT OF GROUND, on St. Asaph str. north of and adjoining Oliver Norris' lot, front-ing on St. Asaph street 112 feet 6 inches, and running back esst toward. Pitt street 113 feet 5

4. A LOT OF GROUND, on the east side of Water street, between Duke and Wolfe streets, fronting on Water street 28 feet, and in depth 90 feet, bounded on the north by an eight feet alley, and on the east by a nine feet alley, with a right of way over he.b. right of way over both.

Terms of Sale: One fourth in cash, and the

residue in one, two and three years, with interest from the day of sale. The notes of the purchasers to be given for the deferred payments, with approved security, and the title to be retained until the whole purchase money is paid.

GEO. A. MUSHBACH,

JOHN M. JOHNSON,

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By Green & Wise,

[Real Estate Agents and Auctionears.]

OMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE FARM AND DWELLING.—In
pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of the pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of the city of Alexandria, in the cause of Kephart against Lixon's adm'r., and others, the undersigned, commissioners of sale, will offer for sale by public auction at about 120'clock m., in front of the entrance to the Court Room. on Fairfax street Alexandria, Va., on SATURDAY, the 15th day of November. 1879, that valuable THREE STORY BRICK DWELLING AND LOT OF GROUND, situate on the north side of King street, between Washington and Court. of king street, between Washington and Columbus streets, and known as No. 171. Also a VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND with DWELLING HOUSE, &c, in Fairfax county, Vs., lying on Holmes' Run, about 31 miles from Alexandria, containing 200 acros.

Terms of Sale: Cup tenth of the purchase money in cash and the residual tenth.

money in cash, and the residue thereof in three qual payments, at one, two and three years from the day of sale, with interest. The notes of the purchaser, with approved security, to be given therefor, and the retention of the title to

the property until the purchase money is paid.

WM. H. PAYNE,

ALBERL STUAKT,

JNO. M. JOHNSON,

Sale.

By Green & Wise

[Real Estate Agents and Actionogra.]

OMMISSIONERS' SALE—In pursuance
of a decree of the Corporation Court of the
city of Alezandria, in the cause of H. B. Claffin
& Co. against James M. Stewart and others, the
understand commissioners of sale, will offer ments, payable respectively in six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale; the doferred payments to be secured by the bends of the purchaser, with good security, with interest from the day of sale, and the title of the property to be retained until the whole purchase price is be retained until the whole purchase price is LEONARD MARBURY.

LEONARD MARBURY.

undersigned, commissioners of sale, will one for sale by public auction, at about 12 o'clock m., in front of the entrance to the Court room, on Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on SATURDAY, the 15th day of November, 1879, a LOT OF GROUND, on the west side of St. Asanh street, between Cameron and Queen sts.

Asaph street, between Cameron and Queen sts, 100 feet deep, improved by TWO FRAME DWELLINGS, Nos. 23 and 40 St. Asaph st. Terms of Sale: One fourth in cash, and the residue in three equal instalments at six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from day of sale. The notes of the purchaser, waiving homestead exemption, with security, to be given therefor, and as jurther security, the property to te insured for the benefit of commissioners the amount of \$1,000, and the title to be retained

until the purchase money in paid. S. F. BEACH,

JOHN M. JOHNSON, Comm'rs. of Sale. VALUABLE LANDS NEAR LEWINS-VILLE, IN FAIRFAX COUNTY, AT COMMISSIONER'S SALE-In and by virtue of the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfex county, pronounced at its November term, 1878, in the suit of Ball vs Ball, the undersigned speon MONDAY, (Court day) the 20th of October, 1879, in front of the Court House door, sell to the highest bidder, the following LOTS and PARCELS OF LAND, lying near Lewinsville, in said courts. in said county, constituting a part of the roal or-tate of which S. M. Bail, W. W. Ball and Lucy

W. Ball died seized:
Of the estate of S. M. Ball-Lot No. 1, conaining 94 acres, 1 rood and 12 poles. Lot No. 2, Containing 12 acres.
Of the estate of W. W. Ball-Lot No. 1, con-

taining 105 acres, 3 roods and 33 poles. Lot No. 2, containing 41 acres and 10 poles. Containing 17 acres and 10 poles.

Of the estate of Lucy W. Ball—Let No. 1, containing 106 acres and 14 poles.

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A plat of the land will be shown on the day of sale and any information given upon application to the undersigned, at Fairfax Ct. House, Vs. THOMAS MOORE, Comm'r. of Sale.

Fairfax county, sep 15-w4w PROPERTY, AT CLIFTON, FAIRFAX COUNTY, VA.—By virtue of a deed of trust from Joseph J. Barnum and wife, dated the lat day of July, 1871, recorded among the land recorded from the land ords of Fairfax county, liber P, No. 4, folio 344, and for the purposes therein mentioned, the un-dersigned will offer for sale at public auction, at Resigned will one for sale as public suction, as Fairfax C. H., on MONDAY, the 10th day of November next, (Court day,) a VALUABLE LOT, with the IMPROVEMENTS thereon, within 50 yards of the passenger depot of the Virginia Midland railroad, bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of William E. Ford's lot, on Main street, thence running on the westerly side of said street southerly 95 feet to South street; thence along the northerly line of South street westerly 58 feet 2 inches; thence northerly on the line of lot No. 7 95 feet; thence easterly 58 feet 2 inches along the line of said William E. Ford's lot to the point of beginning, known as lot No. 6 on the map of the Haniss properly. The above lot is improved by a DWELLING HOUSE, built in modern style, 20x40 feet, with seven finished rooms, besides the hall and kitchen.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will

pay the costs and expenses of sale; also the sum of \$1,500, with interest thereon at 10 per cent. per sonum from the 1st day of August, 1878, until the day of sale, the residue upon a credit of 12 months, to be secured upon the property. Sell-ing as trustees, we shall convey such title only as is vested in us, which is believed. as is vested in us, which is believed to be unquestionable.

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A Chinese Birthday Celebration. During the past three days the Chinese Consul General of California, Chen Shu Tang, has been celebrating one of the most important festivals in his life. It is the third decade birthday. Of the mandarin class and wearing the red button, it is the immemorial custom of his cult, on each successive ten years after their twenty first year of age, to have a grand birth. day celebration. It lasts three days; on the two first of which the celebrant receives calls

a grand party, concluding with a dinner to those who have paid their respects to him. It is a point in high Chinese exiquette not to invite any one previously to the party, but as friend after friend calls on the first day of the anniversary, and, after the expression of good wishes, is about to leave, it is suggested to him that the feast is going to be held and it is proper for him to attend it. As a learned Chinese remarked, "Should I invite any one to attend my birthday celebration without their having previously offered me their respects, it would look as though I was doing so at the behest of egotism and was bidding for friendly remem

of congratulation, and on the last day he gives

braness that were not felt for me."

The culmination of Chen Shu Tang's fete courred in the Wie Tie Ping Theatry, on Jackson street, yesterday. It began at noon and lasted until midnight. The walls of the theatre were handsomely desorated with scrolls of red satio, inscribed with golden letters, embroidered pictures on silk, and many colored screens and hanging. From the ceiting hung various colored lanteras, baskets of real and artificial flowers, interspersed with lighted gas

Near the inner entrance of the theatre was a dais, on which was a large centre-table covered with a red and gold cloth, on which rested numerous fancy objects in bronze and porcelain and small fancy screens, all of which were presents to the giver of the entertainment. Over these, against the wall. was a very large red satio scroll, on which was worked in silk ombroidery the picture of a Chinese celebrity whose been as long as Methusaleh children had been as many as those of Augustus the Strong, and whose wealth had been scarcely less than that of Cicesus. A paragon of a Queen of Beauty was doing him homage. This gift to Chen Shu Tang had been presented by

forty of his intimate friends, and was symbolical of their wishes for his future. On this dais he sat during the whole of his fete, receiving and successively briefly entertaining the guests as they arrived. Upon the floor of the theatre, which had been formed by building over the orchestra and parquette, were arranged fifty elegantly carved black tables, to each of which were eight chairs. covered with red housings. Immediately in front of the stage were a row of chairs, covered with red satio, trimmed with gold, to which the

more distinguished guests were invited. In front of the gallery was a large ganza streen extending around the circle, behind which were accommodated over a bundred of the elite of Chinese female society, hidden from the gaze of the promiscuous, but fully able to witness all that was going on. They were arrayed in all the colors of the rainbow. The va riety and gaudy effect of the head dressings were marvellous. Amid this circle of the re-cherche and small flored a host of children were playing in a solemaly ludicrous manner.

A theatrical performance lasted from the be-

ginning to the end of the fete, and the sweet

sound of the tom-tom, one stringed fiddle and

cymbal, leat an inspiring charm to the come. Light lunch was served all day by a host of at-tendants, and at half past six o'clock a state dinner of forty courses was served. The guests included all the prominent Chinese of the city. In Chinese circles the entertainment was voted to be one of the most magnifisent ever given in this city. In front of the building the street was blookaded all day with admiring Celestial throngs. The costumes of the actors,

THE GRANDMOTHER OF CHRIST,-The time at which Ruth and Naomi arrived in Judah from the land of Moab, said Mr. Talmage, was harvest time. It was the sustom in those days when a husbandman dropped a sheaf from the wagon for him not to stor; that sheaf was to be for the poor. Ruth was so fair and to sutiful she would not want to blister her bands in the field. Bonz goes out one day to see the reapers gathering in the field, and right behind the swarthy, sunburt reapers, he beholds the beautiful gleaner, more fit to stoop to a barp than to bow among the sheaves. It was love at first eight. In the attachment which Boaz formed for Ruth all Christendom is interested, for she afterward became the ancestress

cf the Lard Jesus Christ, our King of glory. In the first place, we learn from this subject that trouble develops character. It was bereavement and exile and poverty that developed Ruth's character. Trouble is an educator. It takes sorrow and persecution to develop men. women, churches, nations. God never smites with a hammer but to make something, Again, we learn the beauty of untiring friendship. When distress came. Naomi was not troubled with many callers, How many friends had she? Oaly one-Ruth. Paths which open in darkness end in great joy. Ruth we find to become the grandmother of the Lord Jeeus Christ. God is going to help you through the sorrows of this life into great joy-it not in this world, then in the world to come. We learn also from this subject that events that seem insignificant are momentous, and again that there is something very beautiful in female industry. For every intelligent woman there is something to do. Scoisty needs to be reconstructed. May the God of Ruth and Naomi be your God forever.

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and nearly all the decorations, were imported from China. A friend of Chen Shu Tang estimated the cost of the entertainment at fully